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 CONTROL MODULES IN CONTROLLERS
 Filed: December 8, 2003
 Examiner: Jennifer L. Norton
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 Customer No.: 27,623
 Attorney Docket No.: I20 05866US

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Petition for extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.136 and 1.137 is hereby made if, and to the extent, required. The fee for this extension of time is calculated to be \$0 to extend the time for filing this response until _____.

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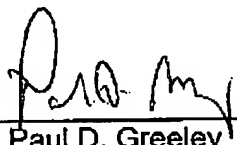
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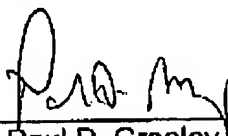
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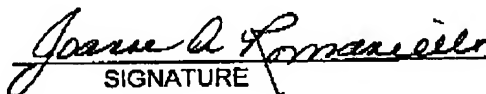
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RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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Sir:

This response is in reply to the final Office Action dated May 25, 2006.
Claims 2-14 are pending in the application. Reconsideration of this application is respectfully requested.

The Office Action rejects claims 2-7 and 9-14 under 35 U.S.C. 102(b) as anticipated by U.S. Patent No. 5,881,115 to Lipner et al., hereafter Lipner.

The present invention provides a display interface to an operator that permits a table view of a procedure of a computer controlled process that permits the operator to select a step of the procedure and to view the outputs of the selected step, wherein the outputs comprise a combination of interactive